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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
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**Docket Number:  
3135/FBR**

First named inventor: Anthony Wayne BOND et al.

Application No.: 09/743,950

Group Art Unit:

Filed: January 12, 2001

Examiner:

Title: Input/Output Interface and Device Abstraction

Attention: Office of Petitions  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

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- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee – required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

**1. Petition fee**

☐ Small entity-fee \$\_\_\_\_\_ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Other than small entity – fee \$1280 (37 CFR 1.17 (m))

**2. Reply and/or fee**

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in the form of (see enclosure list) identify type of reply):

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☒ Reply (Response to Notification of Missing Requirements and Petition Under 37 CFR 1.83 to Suspend the Rules and Affidavit in Support)

☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form

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